

NOMI KIDS & DEMOCRACY PRESENTS



A NEW GENERATION  
OF NOMI LEADERS

NOMI KIDS ANNUAL CONFERENCE &  
NORTH MIAMI FEEDER PATTERN GEO BOWL





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# Kids Leadership Summit

**Thursday, May 27, 2010**

**10 a.m. -1:30 p.m.**

**Gwen Margolis Community Center**

**1590 NE 123 Street  
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# WELCOME

May 27, 2010

Dear NoMi Young Leaders:

Welcome to the first annual NoMi Kids and Democracy **"Kids Leadership Conference"** and the North Miami Feeder Pattern Region Center II GEO Bowl. It is my distinguished honor to be working on the development of tomorrow's leaders today. This conference was designed with you in mind. The qualities you bring to this conference are unique and developing those qualities is essential and the main focus of today's conference.

What you will learn in this conference are skills that are important to your future. You are here because you have displayed special qualities worthy of being called a leader. Your parents are essential in polishing these skills and working with your teachers will only make these stronger. Your peers have thought enough of your leadership skills to vote you into office, trusting in you to always do the right thing, with their best interest in mind. This trust is what others admire most about you; your ability to lead is what sets you aside from the rest.

Thank you all for taking part of this conference. Know that this conference will present some of the brightest leaders in the business, law enforcement and education world – leaders who are pleased to share lessons of leadership with you. Please utilize these leaders as resources and tools to assist in your development. Take what you learn today and apply it in your everyday interaction with those in your school and community. Develop their leadership capabilities and help them be the best that they can be.

Make this day productive and enjoy it. We're planting the seeds of civics education.

Regards,

Alix Desulme, City Clerk  
NoMi Kids and Democracy Founder

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May 24, 2010

To The Future Leaders of Tomorrow:

On behalf of the City of North Miami, I want to extend a warm welcome to the NoMi Kids Leadership conference. You have a challenging and rewarding experience ahead. This year's program designed to teach you about citizenship, civic involvement, local government and our electoral process.

Your participation in this initiative prepares you to develop some of the leadership skills necessary to take yourselves and your communities to higher and brighter destinations. You, our youth are the leaders of the future. We want to equip you with techniques to build peace in your daily lives and society. It is through you we can change the world.

I hope you will have a rewarding experience. I look forward to seeing you and extend my best wishes for an enjoyable and successful event.

Sincerely,



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Andre D. Pierre, Esq.  
*Mayor, City of North Miami*

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Dr. Wilbert "Tee" Holloway*



May 27, 2010

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*Superintendent of Schools  
Mr. Alberto M. Carvalho*

**Greetings Young Leaders!**

When I think of the future of our country and the amazing role each of you will play in the communities you go to school in, the communities you live in and the world you are a part of, it fills my heart with pride. Your participation in this cutting-edge initiative prepares you to develop some of the leadership skills necessary to take yourselves and your communities shining into a brighter, more stable future.

The NoMi Kids Leadership conference is a one-of-a-kind initiative that will provide some critical leadership qualities you will need to be successful in whichever endeavors you embark on in life. My hope is that the hard work and dedication put into building this initiative along with compassion put forth each and every day by your teachers and parents will assist you in unleashing your unlimited and boundless potential.

I welcome you to this conference with the hopes that your minds are enlightened and your horizons broadened. Please enjoy yourselves – knowing that you are in a safe learning environment. Ask all the questions you feel that you have and know that the answers received will come from a place designed to see you succeed. You are in a safe place, so please explore your leadership qualities, network with your peers and future leaders, but most importantly take this opportunity to learn and grow.

Congratulations on being part of such a great event designed with you in mind. Enjoy yourselves and immerse yourselves in this moment of learning and growth.

Have a great conference!

Regards,

Wilbert Tee Holloway, School Board, District 1  
Miami Dade County School



# Miami-Dade County Public Schools

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Dr. Martin S. Karp  
Board Member, District 3



May 24, 2010

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**Superintendent of Schools**

Alberto M. Carvalho

Greetings Young Leaders,

I worked as a public school teacher for 14 years in this community before being elected to the Miami-Dade County School Board. I understand the importance of the school system and the community working together as partners. Miami-Dade County Public Schools is the fourth largest school district in the United States and serves more than 340,000 students.

Last year when I was approached by the City of North Miami regarding North Miami Kids and Democracy (NoMi) event, I was eager to support this effort. NoMi Kids and Democracy is designed to teach students about citizenship, civic involvement, local government and the electoral process. Over 9,000 students from North Miami participated in the program and I know this year we will surpass that number. Your participation in this initiative prepares you to develop some of the leadership skills necessary for a better future. These skills include problem solving and conflict resolution strategies, which will help you create a better future for the community.

I welcome you to this conference and congratulate you on being part of such a great event designed with you in mind.

Have a great conference!

Regards,

  
Martin Karp, Ed.D.  
Miami-Dade County School Board





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May 27, 2010

Dear Student Leaders,

Welcome to the 2010 NoMi Kids Leadership Conference! Today, you will have a chance to enhance and supplement the leadership abilities you have already shown and learn how to hone and continue to develop the skills you will need to be an effective leader.

Your participation in this North Miami Kids and Democracy initiative will prepare you to be model citizens and community leaders by developing your skills in various areas. You should take this opportunity to expand your knowledge, to challenge yourself when seeking new ways to address common problems, and step outside of your comfort zone when you are faced with issues that are unfamiliar to you.

A lot of hard work has gone into planning this Leadership Conference. I hope that you will utilize the skills you learn today and apply them to your future success and your continued development as a young leader.

Congratulations and Good Luck!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Frederica S. Wilson".

Senator Frederica S. Wilson  
Florida Senate District 33

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May 25, 2010

Salutations Youth Leaders,

I am excited to welcome you to the NOMI Kids Leadership Conference. This special conference was organized to educate you in many areas of importance. As a former teacher, I have a special appreciation for education and the learning process. I know that learning can be fun and enjoyable. Today as you learn more about communications, problem solving, conflict resolution and civic engagement, I encourage you to think about how you can use what you learn to improve your classroom, your school and your community.

The decisions that you make today will determine the altitude of success that you reach tomorrow. All of you have different talents and characteristics that will allow you to serve as leaders in various fields. Whether you choose to be a nurse, doctor, attorney, police officer, fire fighter, electrical technician, teacher, scientist or judge, you will be able to contribute to society in your own special way. What you learn today will prove useful in helping you achieve your goals. Remember, knowledge is power but most importantly applied knowledge is power. Use everything you learn today to benefit those around you.

Enjoy the conference and most importantly, have fun!

Sincerely,

Ronald A. Brisé  
State Representative, District 108

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# SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



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## Thursday, May 27th 2010

8:45 - 9:30 AM

CHECK-IN/Registration

9:30 - 10:00 AM

Continental Breakfast

10:00 AM

### *Opening Plenary Session (All Participants)*

Pledge of Allegiance

North Miami Sr. High Color Guard Presentation  
(Procession of School's Student Presidents & Safety Patrols)

10:05 AM

Welcome & Purpose

### *Morning Breakout Sessions*

10:30 AM - 11:45 AM

Workshops I

Session A.

North Miami Feeder Pattern Geo Bowl  
(Grades: 2nd&4th and 3rd&5th) & Safety Patrols

Session B.

Problem Solving & Conflict Resolution Workshop  
(Middle & High Students only)  
Priscilla B. Dames, Presenter

11:45 - 11:55 AM

Miami-Dade County Public Schools'  
North Miami Feeder Pattern Showcase

12:00 PM

LUNCH

### *Afternoon Breakout Sessions*

12:30 - 1:00 PM

Workshops II

Session C.

North Miami Senior Academies Display  
& S.T.E.M. Demonstrations  
(Middle School & Geo Bowl Participants)

Session D.

Police and Youth Relations Workshop  
(Senior High Students & Elementary Patrols)  
Interim Police Chief Stephen Johnson, Presenter  
Priscilla B. Dames, Facilitator

1:00 PM

### *Closing Plenary Session (All Participants)*

Recognition & Closing Remarks  
Debra Dubin, Assistant Lead Principal

1:30 PM

Dismissal



# PROGRAM



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**NAKISHA AUGUSTINE AND TEN'NIQUWA BRYAN**

Mistresses of Ceremony

## **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Stacey Samedi, 5th Grade

Hubert O. Sibley Elementary School

North Miami Senior High Color Guards

Procession of the Student Leaders

Welcome & Purpose of Conference

City Clerk Alix Desulme

City of North Miami

&

DanySu Pritchett, Administrative Director, Region Center II

Miami-Dade County Public Schools

## **CONFERENCE OVERVIEW**

Agenoria Powell

North Miami Feeder Pattern Lead Principal, Region Center II

Miami-Dade County Public Schools

## **GREETINGS:**

Wilbert "Tee" Holloway, School Board Member, District I

Dr. Martin Karp, School Board Member, District II

Alberto Carvalho, Superintendent of Schools

Mr. Jose L. Dotres, Region II Superintendent

Mayor Andre D. Pierre

State Senator Frederica S. Wilson

State Representative Ronald Brise

John Doyle, Administrative Director

North Miami City Council Members

~ Morning Break-out Sessions ~

## **LUNCH**

Recording Artist Black Dove

Powerpoint Showcase

~ Afternoon Break-out Sessions ~

## **RECOGNITION & CLOSING REMARKS**

Debra Dubin, Assistant Lead Principal

North Miami Feeder Pattern, Region Center II

Miami-Dade County Public Schools



# SESSIONS & TRAINERS



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## MORNING SESSION

### **Your Mission Possible: Even Through Conflict**

The purpose of this workshop is to establish/ re-establish mission statements and confirm that life's conflicts do not have to impede success. The aim of the workshop is to teach participants how to interact with people and deal with issues impacting them. This interactive workshop will include total and small group activities. The facilitator will use music, pairing-sharing and multi-media activities to reinforce lessons taught in the seminar.

### **Goals:**

- Establish today's youth issues
- Differentiate between issues youth can and cannot control
- Youth participants address trends and issues that can deter personal goals and accomplishments
- After sharing personal missions, individual pledges are made, reaffirming goals



### **Priscilla B. Dames**

Priscilla B. Dames is a nationally Certified Crisis Trainer and Conflict Resolution Practitioner whose facilitation experience has expanded internationally. Ms. Dames is Founder and President of Wingspan Seminars, LLC. Its mission is to provide seminars focusing on improving organizational relationships through understanding diversity. She writes a column, Conflict Corner for the South Florida Times Newspaper. Her passion is youth in crisis. As a Miami-Dade County Public Schools partner, she provides internships through Wingspan's blogtalk radio show, Conflict Corner, [www.blogtalkradio.com/wingspan](http://www.blogtalkradio.com/wingspan) that is for youth, by youth.



# SESSIONS & TRAINERS

## AFTERNOON SESSION

Relationship in the US between youth and police has been described as negative by community and police leaders. Common problems in the relationship have included; a lack of trust, racial and cultural differences, little or no contact, except through police responding to crime-related incidents, and high levels of anger, fear, and hostility between the two groups. This session will teach kids how to conduct themselves when interacting with police officers or any law enforcement officials. Participants will also learn about community policing, conflict resolution skills and how to improve communication between police and participants.



### **Stephen Johnson, North Miami Police Department – Interim Chief**

Interim Chief Johnson began working with the North Miami Police Department in 1984 as a patrol officer. In 1987, he was reassigned to the detective bureau, where he handled general investigations, economic crimes and homicides. He was promoted to the rank of sergeant in 1994. As a sergeant, Stephen Johnson served in the Patrol Section, the Narcotics Unit, and the Community Policing Unit. In March of 2003, Stephen Johnson was ranked number one on the Lieutenant's exam.

His educational background includes an Associate's Degree in Criminal Justice from Miami-Dade College, as well as a Bachelor's degree and a Master's degree in Public Administration from Barry University. Interim Chief Johnson is a graduate of the F.B.I. National Academy - 216<sup>th</sup> Session. He is a state certified instructor, a member of the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP), National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives (NOBLE), Dade County Association of Chiefs of Police, and a member of the 5000 Role Models of Excellence Project, under Senator Frederica Wilson. He is also an adjunct professor at Barry University.



SPECIAL GUEST



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## GUEST SPEAKER



### **BlackDove**

#### **– Recording Artist**

South Florida Hip-Hop Recording Artist BlackDove is signed to independent label MGT Records and is kicking off his “Who Is U” student empowerment campaign in Miami Dade County. The BlackDove, “Who Is U” campaign travels to various schools and organizations to empower students to strive for excellence. The campaign was built around his current single “Who Is U” produced by We The Best Records Producers, House of Bangers.

True to the two sidedness of his name, “BlackDove” is an artist who believes there are two sides to every story and demonstrates that in his music. In his single “Who Is U” BlackDove explains, “his right, his left, his life, his death”. He is an artist that’s not interested in conforming to one flow or style. Though he enjoys making music with a conscious message, BlackDove doesn’t mind giving you songs filled with catchy punch lines to gain the attention of those who wouldn’t otherwise listen.



# CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS



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## Alonzo & Tracy Mournig Senior High School

### NoMi Kids & Democracy

Rossanna Cheng-He	S.G. A President (candidate)
Demetris Vila	S.G.A President (candidate)
Aliaha Daphnis	S.G.A Vice-President (candidate)
Pamela Moncada	S.G.A Vice-President (candidate)
Linda Sierra	S.G.A Recording Secretary (candidate)
Joel Klieman-Levin	S.G.A Recording Secretary (candidate)
Parker Chernoff	S.G.A Treasurer
Carolina Sendra	S.G.A Historian (candidate)
Alison Gozlan	S.G.A Historian (candidate)
Ben Fridman	Secretary, Class of 2013

## Arch Creek Elementary

### NoMi Kids & Democracy

Fabienne Louis	Interim President & Vice-President
Francesca Cherere	Secretary
Rayanna Vilera	Historian
Mackenyasa Coins	Sergeant of Arms

### Geo Bowl Contestants

Leah Dahlien	2nd Grade
Kyelle Leonard	3rd Grade
Francesca Cherere	4th Grade
Olando Daley	5th Grade

### School Patrol Leader

Jorana Dalien	Patrol Officer
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## Aspira Leadership Charter School

### NoMi Kids & Democracy

Netsy Delva	President
Anthony Lewis	Vice-President
Gianna Delgado	Secretary
Jennifer Jean	Treasurer
Geneva Coute	Student Representative
Gabriel Nephtali	Corresponding Secretary
Salen Lemise	Chairperson

# CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS

## Biscayne Gardens Elementary

### NoMi Kids & Democracy

Briana Lewis	President
Trinity Woody	Vice-President
Dwayne Nelson	Secretary

### Geo Bowl Contestants

Tawanna Hammonds	2nd Grade
Dwayne Nelson	3rd Grade
Shirley Prosper	4th Grade
Faith Cooke-Hutchins	5th Grade

### School Patrol Leader

Juwan Harding	Patrol Officer
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## David Lawrence K-8

Sheba Maps	School Representative
Adlay St. Louis	School Representative
Michael Lafortune	School Representative
Jamilay Camacho	School Representative

## Gratigny Elementary

### NoMi Kids & Democracy

Jennifer Salomon	President
Georges Isidore	Historian
Stevens Robert	School Representative

### Geo Bowl Contestants

Kiara Guyher	2nd Grade
Janee Jenkins	3rd Grade
Cacilia Deshommes	4th Grade
Shanya Morton	5th Grade

### School Patrol Leader

Jogimio Faustin	Patrol Officer
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# CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS

## Hubert O. Sibley Elementary

### NoMi Kids & Democracy

Kathryn Contreres	President
Stacey Samedi	Vice-President
Ashley Walker	Secretary
Isis-Nea Mercado	Treasurer
Laura Jacques	Historian

### Geo Bowl Contestants

Jemelle Bowers	2nd Grade
Lynette Saleh	3rd Grade
Kemoni Alexandre	4th Grade
Stacey Samedi	5th Grade

### School Patrol Leader

C-Jay Charles	Patrol Officer
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## Linda Lentin K-8 Center

### NoMi Kids & Democracy

Jean Louis	President
Mark Ceasar	Vice-President
Annaleah Payne	Secretary
Amanda Chapdelaine	Representative
Jovann Janvier	Representative
Tahina Jules	Representative
Romelus Pierre	Representative
Alex Shaw	Representative

### Geo Bowl Contestants

Santa Jolicoeur	2nd Grade
Christele Voltaire	3rd Grade
Vanessa Narcisse	4th Grade
Bryce Fung-Lyew	5th Grade

### School Patrol Leader

Claudine Cyrille	Patrol Officer
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# CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS

## Natural Bridge Elementary

### NoMi Kids & Democracy

Dante James	President
Britney Francois	Vice-President

### Geo Bowl Contestants

Daniella Nechtman	2nd Grade
Sabrina Brazela	3rd Grade
Jasmine Dulcio	4th Grade
Jassan Jacquet	5th Grade

### School Patrol Leader

Brianah St. Julien	Patrol Officer
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## North Miami Elementary

### NoMi Kids & Democracy

Vanessa Frederic	President
Jonathan Wong	Vice-President
Faella Bell	Secretary
Nathan Pierre-Toussaint	Historian

### Geo Bowl Contestants

Deborah Augustin	2nd Grade
Nathan Toussaint	3rd Grade
Jonathan Wong	4th Grade
Alder Jean	5th Grade

### School Patrol Leader

Gamaliel Gedeus	Patrol Officer
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## North Miami Middle

### NoMi Kids & Democracy

Briana Upshur	President
Juliette Celestin	Vice-President
Valonie Richardson	7th Grade Vice-President
Lunick Dorcelus	6th Grade Vice-President
Shanava Saintolien	Secretary
Ashley Rhoden	Treasurer
Richardson Gaston	Sergeant at Arms
Jommy Senatus	School-Wide Representative
Murline Osirus	School-Wide Representative



# CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS

## North Miami Senior

Joane Louis  
Nakisha Augustin  
Ten'niquwa Bryan  
Brenda Jean Baptiste  
George Ruiz-Calderon  
Chun-Yeung Li  
Jim Louro  
Ardine Eugene  
Anjorie Morton  
Victoria Roznache  
Tiffany Cruz  
Mark Jelinsic  
Kefhira Pintos  
Aris Noriel  
Manuel Hill  
Kenny Gonzalez  
Randy Seraphin  
Jonatant Duval  
Wilner Petion  
Donald Graham  
Jean-Emmanuel Sam  
Joshua Still

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S.G.A Vice President  
Senior Class President  
Junior Class President  
Junior Class Vice-President  
Junior Class Secretary  
Junior Class Treasurer  
Sophomore Class President  
Sophomore Class Vice-President  
Sophomore Class Secretary  
Sophomore Class Treasurer  
Representative  
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## Oak Grove Elementary

### NoMi Kids & Democracy

Vladimir Civil  
Malik Welcome  
Jordan Richardson  
Neumiah Massenat  
Olajubu Olowatosin

School Representative  
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School Representative

### Geo Bowl Contestants

Nicole Beldor  
David Wright  
Johan Euceda  
Malik Bowie

2nd Grade  
3rd Grade  
4th Grade  
5th Grade

### School Patrol Leader

Ismeralda Volmar

Patrol Officer



# CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS

## Thomas Jefferson Middle

### NoMi Kids & Democracy

Ashley Chow  
Shadell McClain  
Bryan Jacques  
Sabine Sylvestre  
Emanuela Andre  
Schnyder Lops

President  
Vice-President  
Secretary  
Treasurer  
Grade Representative  
Grade Representative

## WJ Bryan Elementary

### NoMi Kids & Democracy

Enelda Dor  
Fanny Avila-Lopez  
Alexis Cooper  
Brian Monchery  
Rebakah Jolobois  
Evona Prophete  
Anika Augustin

President  
Vice-President  
Assembly Councilperson  
Assembly Councilperson  
Grade Representative  
Grade Representative  
Grade Representative

### Geo Bowl Contestants

Breanna Michel  
Kendia Missick  
Juliyan Levia  
Jazmin Edwards

2nd Grade  
3rd Grade  
4th Grade  
5th Grade

### School Patrol Leader

Vladmir Augustin

Patrol Officer





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## **NORTH MIAMI FEEDER PATTERN REGION CENTER II GEO BOWL JUDGES**

On behalf of the NoMi Conference Steering committee we would like to thank the following individuals for taking the time out of their busy schedule to support the kids from our community. We want to "Thank you" for all of your support.

Dr. Lumane Claude  
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Beverly Hilton  
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